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REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS
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Mrs. Lillie Clawson to Truman
Walker, 2 3-4 ac. Samuel Cash
Survey, \$50.00.
Austin Moore et ux to Alvin
Ray, 1 ac. E. C. Glover survey in
Evant, \$1000.00.
Geo. B. Painter et al to Chas.
C. Jaquess et al part of E Norton
survey, \$1,650.00.
Putnam R. Sawyer to O. B.
Faubion. Lot out of Zack Griffith
survey in Evant, \$5,000.00.
Dan G. Cross et ux to F. E.
Campbell, 1 ac. A. Roeder survey,
\$100.00.
J. C. Loper et ux to E. P. Berry
0.2 ac. I. Bunker survey, \$10.00 etc
Roland Blanchard et ux to Geo.
S. Lam, 1.03 ac. James B. Smith
survey, \$250.
J. E. McClellan et ux to Thomas
R. Williams, Lot 10 Blk. 5 Wells
Add. in Gatesville, \$830.00.
J. A. Wiese et ux to I. McMurry,
Lot 17 Blk. 1 An-Lo Subd.
Blk. 7 Pidcake or New Add.
\$4250.00.
Mrs. Minnie Brooks to Paul A.
Nichols et ux Lots 4, 5 & 6 Blk.
2 Coryell Add. in Gatesville.
\$8650.00.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Oran F. Davis and Olgie Mae
Buchanan. Samuel L. White and
Mrs. Onella C. Sparks.

Births

Born, February 2 at 8:13 p. m.,
a son to Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Cole
of Mound
Born, January 30, a son to Mr.
and Mrs. R. A. Beck, 3910 E. Main
Gatesville.

Markets

Tuesday, February 4, 1947
Corn bushel.....\$1.50
Maize, loose.....\$2.00
sacked.....\$2.10
Wheat, bushel.....\$1.80
Cream pound.....54c
Hens, pound.....19c
Roosters, pound.....09c
Fryers pound.....23c
EGGS, dozen.....35c
Toms, pound.....15c
Hens, pound.....23c

Meridian Man Bids Low On Hood Airstrip Construction

L. P. Reed of Meridian submitted the low bid of \$1,968,658.40 on the Camp Hood airstrip, Col. D. M. Griffith of the army engineers office at Galveston told the Associated Press Thursday night.

The bids on the project, slated for completion this year, also were for taxiways and runways.

The army engineer's office previously had said that completion of the airstrip is planned for next summer.

The strip is to be used in conjunction with Camp Hood's training in moving armies by air. Plans call for training in air transportation to all units in the army, including supplies, and eventually some types of heavy artillery, the army has reported.

The Hood airstrip is to be 7,000 to 3000 feet long and wide enough to handle many planes at a time.

City Taxes In 94.1 Percent Perfect: Less Than Last Year

Another "sign of the times" is the fact that tax payments to the City of Gatesville are about 1% under last year's pay-off.

According to City Secretary Eiland Lovejoy, the payments are 94.1 percent of the total, where as last year, it was 95 p'us.

Looks like de "boom" is gone, or, going.

Civil Cases Occupy District Court's Time Recently

Here are some cases, mostly suits to try title which have been handled by the District Court during the last few days.

Mrs. Minnie Latham vs Isaac Dorsey et al, try title, judgment for plaintiff.

C. G. Cryer vs Edward C. Glover et al, try title, judgment for plaintiff.

E. E. Dyson vs Pate A. Williams et al, try title, judgment for plaintiff.

Morey Beringer et al vs H. C. Smith, try title, judgment for plaintiff.

Exparte Gordon Albert Davis, adoption.

I. V. Pate vs Mary Lee Pate, divorce, granted.

Clifford Berry vs Virginia Berry, divorce, granted.

Miss Rose Mary Bishop of Carthage, Mo., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Floyd Herring.

Poll Tax Payers Made No Panic Rush at Court House Office Friday

"We were plenty busy last Friday issuing poll tax receipts", said Bert Davis, Coryell county tax-assessor-collector, "but had no extra help for the day and closed the office at nine o'clock in the evening, there being no indication that there would be any further payments made by voters before midnight."

Figures released Monday from the office of Bert Davis are that a total of 2,948 voters qualified in Coryell county for balloting during 1947 in elections that may be called. In comparison with 1946, election year, when poll tax payments totaled 3,248, three hundred citizens remain in the non-qualified list this year.

"March of Dimes" Hits High Tempo With School Folks Waging Campaign

Saturday was a big day in Gatesville with the opening of the big new home of the Powell Supply Co., and the swarm of pretty girls and handsome boys of the Gatesville public schools busy on all the downtown sidewalks gathering in the "shekels" for carrying on the fight against the dread disease, polio or infantile paralysis.

The campaign in the city was waged by the young girls of the home economics department under the capable leadership of their teacher, Mrs. John Potts.

According to a report made to the News Monday morning by Superintendent W. H. the collections made by school children amounted to \$131.49. Mrs. Lucille Brown at Coryell Memorial Hospital, states that the collections being carried on in the rural districts by school children and their teachers are not yet complete but indications are that the cause is being given liberal support in Coryell county.

Bus Service "Out" To North Camp: Still, SCH & Temple

Southwestern Bus Lines have discontinued their bus line to North Camp Hood according to information received here today.

They still have two buses running to Temple and one to South Camp Hood.

Looks like that's "30" for NCH.

Mrs. John R. Colgin had news this past week end that instead of the usual visit home, her daughter, Miss Louise Colgin University of Texas student, had a delightful stay in Port Lavaca, Texas, as the guest of a school friend, Miss Olivia Tisdale.

Mrs. Ira Cooper turned a few days ago from Ruleville, Miss., where she had visited for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wynn have moved to Gatesville from Waco, where they have lived for the past year.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Dwyer of Eric, Oklahoma, are guests of his sister, Mrs. Ed Elms at her home in East Gatesville.

Benny Claude Turner, who has been in Gatesville for an extended visit with his mother, Mrs. Claude Turner, has returned to Santa Anna, California, where he has employment.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Franks of Dublin, were in Gatesville last Sunday for a visit with his sister, Mrs. J. L. Osburn, and other relatives.

A week end family reunion brought together Leslie Fowler from Stephenville, a John Tarleton College student, and Mr. and Mrs. Loyde Foeler, Baylor University, Waco, who were guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Fowler.

A family group composed of Mrs. Abbie Truss, Miss Gaynell Truss, Tommie Truss, and Mrs. Jack Painter and little daughter, Gay Charlotte, visited with relatives in Abilene through the past week end.

TODAY'S - - AP The By EVENTS by AP Dependability

ADMIRAL MARC A. MITSCHER DIES

NORFOLK, VA., Feb. 3. (AP)—Admiral Marc A. Mitscher, Commander in Chief of the Atlantic Fleet, died at Norfolk Naval Station Hospital early today of coronary thrombosis.

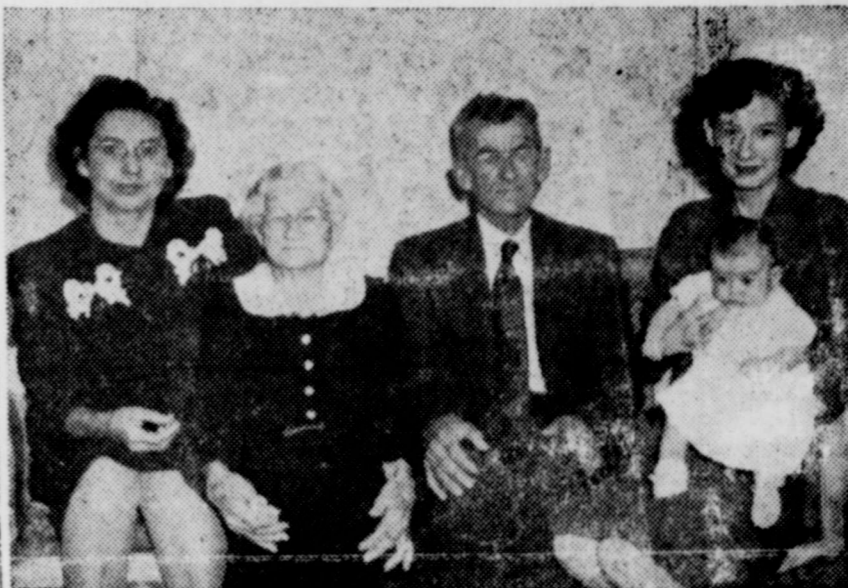
The wartime boss of the famed Task Force 58 which played havoc with the Japanese, died in sleep at 1:20 a.m. He was admitted to the hospital after suffering a heart attack on his 60th birthday last Sunday.

Mitscher's swift marauding task force had the entire Pacific Ocean to the gates of Japan as its stamping ground and his carrier planes smashed vital enemy aircraft plants and chased the Japanese air force to cover while pounding at Tokyo and vicinity early in 1945.

TRUMAN ASKS EXTENSION, WAR ACT

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3. (AP)—President Harry S. Truman today asked Congress for "limited" extension of the Second War Powers Act, including his authority to ration sugar and to allocate scarce foods and the handful of materials. Also, he sought power to restrict materials in case of a "national emergency that we do not now foresee"—such as the coal strikes.

FIVE GENERATIONS



Pictured here are five generations of Clemonses, and their descendants.

Mrs. S. A. Clemons, the elderly lady was born in Wilson County, Murfreesboro, Tennessee, in 1858, and in 1876 she was married to D. W. Clemons. They left Tennessee when she was twenty-seven years old. She had three children then, and they were J. M., Henry and Frank. They settled at Osage and lived there about 21 years, then moved to near Gatesville and had lived here since. She raised ten children, seven of whom are now living.

J. M. Clemons, her first child was also born in Tennessee and is 69. His daughter, Mrs. Ona Bamburg and her daughter, Mrs. Mary Neuman and baby Florence Ann Neuman, make up the five generations as pictured here.



STUART HENDERSON
AND CHAMP

Stuart Henderson, 15, of Hyman, Mitchell County Texas, and his "To Tarfu II", which won the grand champion for fat steers at the Brownwood, Texas, Livestock Show. The Champ, a Hereford,

weighed 780 pounds, was calved last April. Stuart won the grand championship of last year's show with "To Atomic", which also was Grand Champion of the Southwestern Fat Stock Show at Fort Worth.

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Inspect Osrico Manso, champion Brahma bull who weighs 1990 lbs. at the Houston Fat Stock Show. The animal is owned by Burke Brothers of Corsicana, Texas. Governor B. auford Jester of Texas (left) and Secretary of Agriculture Clinton P. Anderson in-



LOOK FELLERS, TRIPLETS!

The six-year-old Riley triplets, Lee, Pat, and Mike, of Houston, in real cowboy clothe, take a look at the triplet heifer calves belonging to the HOI Bar Ranch of J. A. Sharman and Son, 20 miles

from Houston, which are being groomed for exhibition at the Houston Fat Stock Show Jan. 29-Feb. 9. Mother of the triplet calves, an unusual multiple birth, was a Hereford, their father a registered Brahman. (AP) Photo.

Retired Cotton Belt Employee Died Here, Final Rites Saturday

Henry Perl Sullivan, well known throughout this section of Central Texas as an employe of the Cotton Belt railway, and a resident of Gatesville for 26 years, died at the Coryell Memorial Hospital, Friday, January 31 at 8:15 a. m., as a result of a brief critical illness. Mr. Sullivan, whose home had been with his daughter, Mrs. E. G. Rutherford and family, 405 South Seventh, had been in failing health for several years. He retired from railroading some seven years ago.

Last rites honoring the memory of Mr. Sullivan were held in Gatesville First Baptist church at 4:00 o'clock Saturday afternoon, Dr. Lawrence Hayes conducting the service, and with the requiem music rendered by the choir.

Burial was in Gatesville cemetery with Morton Scott & Son in charge of arrangements. The floral offering of beautiful flowers which decorated the church altar for the service and marked the

mound where the beloved man sleeps. Attending the casket as pallbearers were Floyd Murray, Oce McCallister, Oliver Tatum, Carlton Franks, Will Rutherford and Byrd Hair.

A native Texan, Henry Perl Sullivan was born to Mr. and Mrs. James Sullivan at Nacogdoches January 6, 1879. He was engaged in railroading for 35 years, and was a man of many friends. Genial in manner, and honorable in every relation of life, Mr. Sullivan's Christian influence was a power for good.

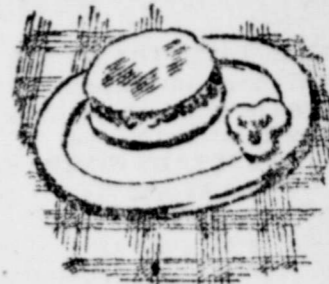
On January 1, 1901, Mr. Sullivan was married to Miss Lou Ella

Kornegay. She preceded him in death in June 1942. He is survived by a son, Grady Sullivan of Waco, and his daughter, Mrs. Rutherford of this city. Other survivors are six grandchildren, and a bother, L. T. Sullivan of Mount Pleasant, Texas.



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Bess Brown, Cor.

Mrs. Bishop Sanders Entertains
A hospitality of gracious planning was the party given at her home on Tuesday afternoon, Jan. 23 by Mrs. J. Bishop Sanders, who entertained in compliment to Liberty ladies.

Following greetings and the usual chatting when friends meet, diversion was found in arranging staggered letters to make the headline: "A Dinner at Mrs. Sanders". Mrs. L. C. Perryman, Mrs. J. B. Jones, Mrs. Fred Hartgraves, Mrs. Hilton Thomas and Mrs. Henry Burks were assigned subjects for extemporaneous talks which were pronounced comedy of the most laugh provoking kind, and which stick to the memory of all present to be enjoyed for months to come. There was a sing-song in concluding the program of pleasures, and the guests provided their enjoyment of the occasion by an enthusiastic planning of another like get-together.

The company was invited into the dining room, where a very charming scene was created by the furnishings, the decorations and the table laden with appetizing food, not "refreshments", but a complete, delicious supper. Mrs. Sanders is one of our most pleasing and capable hostesses. Her parties are always happy affairs.

Personal Items

Mr. and Mrs. B. K. Parrish of Evtan, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Parrish, Sunday, Jan. 26. Other guests in the home were Mr. and Mrs. Garland Leonard of Hamilton.

Joe Walter Jones of A & M College Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Jones of JTAC, Stephenville, visited in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Jones last week end.

Claud Blair of Los Angeles, California, has been called to the bedside of his father, C. W. Blair, who is very ill. He is affectionately known as "Uncle Cal."

Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Burton of Carye'l Church, visited their daughter and family, the Gayle Calhouns, last week.

Miss Margie Atchley of Shive, visited Miss Eva Frances Jones last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilton Thomas and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hartgraves attended the Mid-Texas H reford show at Stephenville recently. Mrs. Hartgraves reports that she found the REA Co-operative meeting at that place deeply interesting and profitable.

Hery Burks visited his brother, who is very ill at his home in Paducah. He also visited his sister at Jayton and at Wymer.

Mrs. Bruce Bomar and little son, James Bruce, Jr., are visiting in the R. L. Parrish home.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Kemp and son, and Mrs. Mollie Kemp of Pottsville, visited the Floyd Kemp family, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bishop Sanders visited in the T. N. Sanders home in Waco, brother of Mr. Sanders. The couple also visited the sister of Mrs. Sanders, Mrs. K. W. Wiggins at Levita.

Miss Sue Vick of Shive, spent last week end with Miss Dorothy Ne'l Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. David Hedgpath and family of Hamilton, visited her parents, the Hill Parrishes this week.

W. A. Sumerford has sold his residence, and the house has been moved away.

Hill Parrish has purchased that part of the Parrish estate known as the For man place. They plan to build a stone residence.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Krueger last Sunday included Mr. and Mrs. Hilton Thomas; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hatgraves and son; Mr. and Ms. Fritz Fulton, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Fulton and daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Alex Sumerfeld, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Kautzsch and daughters; Malinda Fulton and Barbara Ann Fulton.

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one great grandchild. Other survivors are two brothes, Tom Perryman, Gatesville, and Lawrence Perryman, Ireland.

Mrs. Bryan was a member of the Baptist church, and was loved by every one who had the privilege of knowing her during the three years of her residence in Gatesville.

Roy Cooper, who has been visiting homefolks in Gatesville for the past few days, has returned to his school work as a student in North Texas Agricultural College at Arlington.

Miss Vonnie Foller, who attends TSCW at Denton, spent the past week end with her aunt, Mrs. Lawrence Jays and family at their home near Gatesville. Miss Foller, a journalism student was an interested visitor in the News office. She starts work on the "Lasso", college paper, in the coming semester.

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**Mrs. Mary Anne Bryan
Died in Hospital Here
Buried at Matador**

In declining health for a number of years, Mrs. Mary Anne Bryan was stricken recently with a critical illness and was carried to the Coryell Memorial Hospital for treatment. She passed away there on Thursday, January 30, at 11 o'clock in the evening.

At ten o'clock on Saturday morning, funeral services were held at Gatesville First Baptist church with Dr. Lawrence Hayes officiating. From the church the cortege left for Matador, Tex., where the body of Mrs. Bryan was laid to rest in East Mound cemetery.

Born at Brenham, Texas, Jan. 31, 1869, Mary Anne Perryman was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Perryman. She was married in 1888 to J. C. Bryan, and is survived by their two sons and two daughters, Frank Bryan, of Brownwood, and Lawrence Bryan of Opelika, Alabama; Mrs. H. J. White, Gatesville and Mrs. W. C. Robertson, of Atlanta, Texas. She leaves six grandchildren, and

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Lib rtyites are anxious to hear from the Houston Fat Stock Show, where Bob Wright entered the fat hog that he has grown as an FFA project. Bob is also our local contestant in the Houston Calf scramble. We hope to hear of his success.

The Lib rty ladies will give Mrs. Garland Leonard a bridal shower at the H. J. Parrish home on February 18 at 2 p. m. All friends are invited to attend.

**Final Rites Here For
John Belcher Fields
Died in Brownsville**

John Belcher Fields, 74, died at Brownsville, Texas, January 25, at 2:30 p. m., after having lived on the Panama Canal Zone for some 27 years before retirement from farming, his lifelong avocation. He was born at Calvert, Texas, but was reared in the Pidcoke community. He had been living in Brownsville for about three years.

Mr. Fields was married to Miss Gertrude King, who with two sons and a daughter mourn his death. The sons are J. B. Fields, Jr., of Brownsville and Frank Fields, Venezuela. Mrs. C. O. Gingrass of Brownsville, is the daughter. There are six grandchildren, and the brothers surviving are R. S. Fields, Abilene, and R. Q. Fields, Sr. Pelly, Texas.

Final rites were held on January 28 at the Scott Funeral home chapel in this city at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon. The Rev. Jan McMurry and Minister John Overby conducted the memorial services. The Masonic Lodge was in charge of committ nt ceremonies. A profusion of beautiful floral offerings paid eloquent tribute to Mr. Fields from his devoted family, relatives and many friends.

Pallbearers included J. O. Brown, Will Guggolz, Harris Hawell, A. A. Harper, Frank Brown, and Hugh Saunders.

Attending the funeral were R. Q. Fields, Sr. of Pelly; R. Q. Fields, Jr. of Houston; Mrs. R. S. Fields and Mrs. Davis R. Hall of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. J. D. White of Richland; Mr and Mrs. Carl Josey, Meridian; Mr. and Mrs. Gano Love, Fort Worth.

**Mother of "News"
Correspondent Dies
At Copperas Cove**

Mrs. Julia P. Stevens, 81, died at her home in Copperas Cove Sunday morning, January 26, at 5:15 o'clock after an illness of two weeks.

She was born Feb. 16, 1865 at Mansfield, La. and was a member of the First Baptist church at Copperas Cove. She was formerly Miss Julia Palestine Mosely and was married to William Nelson Stev-

ens of Moffat Dec. 2, 1889. Mrs. Stevens is survived by 3 sons, Nelson Stevens and Delbert Stevens of Copperas Cove and Lawr nce Stevens of McGregor; three daughters, Mrs. Olive Millsap, Mrs. Pearl Vann both of Copperas Cove, Mrs. Ellen Shaw Karl of McGregor, 16 grandchildren, 7 great grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. Lonnie Cook of Cleburn and one brother, Lewis Mosely of Peeteet, Texas. She was preceded in death by her husband January 25, 1910, and also by one child.

Funeral services honoring the memory of Mrs. Stevens were held a tCopperas Cove First Baptist church Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock with the Rev. G. Brock, the pastor, officiant.

Interment was in the Copperas Cove cemetery with Mrs. Stevens' grandsons attending the casket, the group including William Millsap, Samuel Shaw, Drue Eldon Stevens, Charles Vann, Turner L. Stevens, W. H. Decker, Claude Vann, Leslie Lee Vann. Granddaughters were flower carriers, and were Edith Decker, Maxine Stevens, Juanita Boyd, Charlene Millsap, Sue Vann and Irene Vann

Among those from a distance attending the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Bone and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. Bowling of McGregor; Mr. and Mrs. Martin Mack of Gatesville.

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Gatesville Girl In Austria



LINZ, AUSTRIA—Mrs. Jo Nell (Drennan) Wheelless, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Drennan of 533 Austin St., Grand Prairie, Texas, has reached Austria following a voyage from the U. S. to join her husband, 1st Lt. James E. Wheelless, a member of the occupation air forces in Europe. Lt. Wheelless is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Wheelless of Gatesville.

In the army seven and one half years, 39 months of which have been in foreign service, Lt. Wheelless presently serves as a P-47 pilot and as a supply officer in the 79th Fighter Group, Horsching AB. He departed the U. S. in April 1946 for duty in the ET.

Home From Philippines

Judson C. Davis, son of Mrs. John W. Davis of near Gatesville, arrived here last week from Luzon, where he had served for twelve months with the U. S. Army Air Corps. He is on terminal leave and expects to receive his discharge within some twenty days. The young service man left the Philippines just a few days ahead of the last terrible volcanic eruptions, and, when asked by a News reporter if he would engage in farming when he was relieved of army duty, "I have no plans yet, all I can say is that I'm glad I missed that volcanic eruption and it is great to be a private citizen again."

Hornets Take an Easy Win Over Itasca For their Fourth Conference Win

Gatesville Hornets took an easy win over Itasca Friday night at the high school gym, by a score of 52-27. The Hornets were in the lead all the way. Itasca was just too small and too short for the Hornets.

Wylie Patterson, one of Gatesville's ace forward's fouled out Friday in the third quarter. Gatesville was leading at the half by a score of 27-13.

Capt. Bert Davis took the hon-

or of being high point man with 18. Davis was hot as a firecracker. The Hornets will play West next week.

This was the Hornets fourth conference win and Friday and Saturday they play in the District 12-A Basket Ball Tournament at The Grove.

Hornet 'B' Team Loses To Turnersville By a Score of 28-21

The Hornets "B" lost to the Turnersville team in the Turnersville gym last Thursday night. Turnersville boys got a fast start on the Hornets and the Hornets just couldn't get started until the last half. The score at the half was 22-8 in favor of Turnersville. The Hornets came back ready to play ball in the last half and liked to have caught up with them. Young high for Turnersville with 10. Roberts was high for locals with 11.

Gatesville Girls Lose to Turnersville

The Gatesville girls lost to Turnersville last Thursday night at their gym, by a score of 39-30. It was two teams fighting for the ball from start to finish. At the half the score was 17-14 in favor of Turnersville.

Ruth Ingram was high point for Turnersville with 11.

Dyer was high for the locals with 10.

A'fred was star guard for the Hornets.

Hornets Bees Take Turnersville Bees in a Half Time Game

The Hornet Bees outscored the Turnersville Bees to win by a score of 6-2. Both teams were fighting for the ball all the game but couldn't find the baskets. Wilson was high point for the Turnersville team. Price high for the Hornets.

in Providence Hospital at Waco on January 22. He was born August 21, 1901 in Oglesby. He moved from that town to Waco some two years ago.

On January 25, funeral services were held at Oglesby Methodist church, and burial was in Post-oak cemetery.

Surviving Mr. Griffin are his widow, Mrs. Robbie Jane Griffin, four daughters and two sons. They are Mrs. Max Watt, Eddy, Texas; Mrs. Francis Warren, Austin; Mrs. Mary Stevents, San Diego, Calif.; Billy Bob Griffin, Waco; James and Ernest Griffin, Waco. Other survivors are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William L. Griffin of Oglesby; three brothers, Jim and John Griffin, Oglesby; George Griffin, Waco, and six sisters, Mrs. Jim Rucker, Slaton; Mrs. Wilton Rucker, Shallowater; Mrs. Jim Bradley, Brady; Mrs. Will Mooney, Floydada; Mrs. Walter Casey, Coleman, and Mrs. Maggie Tyson, Fort Worth.

August Symm of The Grove, Dies

August Symm died at his home at The Grove at 5 p. m. Friday following an extended illness.

He was born on Jan. 8, 1876, in Germany and came to Lee county, Texas with his parents during early childhood. He later moved to The Grove where he was engaged in farming until his death.

Survivors are four sons, Oswald Symm, Bill Symm, John Symm and Edwin Symm, all of The Grove; three daughters, Mrs. C. B. Hohle and Mrs. Charlie Winkler of The Grove, and Mrs. Emil Stolz of Lorena; one brother, four sisters, 20 grandchildren. His wife and one daughter preceded him in death.

Funeral services will be held at the home at 2 p. m. Sunday at St. Paul's Lutheran church in The Grove with Rev. M. J. Scaer officiating. Grandsons of the deceased will be pallbearers.

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Miss Milda Schley and Arlie B. Hibits Take Vows in San Antonio

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Rogers of Gatesville announce the marriage of their daughter Milda Schley to Arlie B. Hibits, son of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Hibits of Hamilton. The wedding was solemnized on Saturday, February 1, with the scene in the study of the pastor of the First Baptist church in San Antonio. A simplicity of planning characterized the beautiful rites in which Miss Ann Faulk of San Antonio, maid of honor, was the bride's only attendant. U. C. Jones of Kingsville served the bridegroom as best man.

For her wedding the bride wore a beige suit with brown accessories. Her shoulder corsage was of pink camelias. A lovely bit of sentiment was expressed in her ensemble by the bride, who effected the traditional good luck in her costume with an antique gold pin which is a family heirloom handed down for many years, and for "something borrowed" she carried a dainty lace handkerchief that had been used by her sister, Mrs. Carl Duke, and her sister-in-law, Mrs. Weldon Rogers at their weddings.

Ms. Hibits is a graduate of the Gatesville High School, and of a business college in Waco. Since the beginning of World War II she has been employed in the office of the American Red Cross, serving two years at Waco Army Air Field, and twenty-four months in Brook General Hospital at San Antonio.

Mr Hibits was reared in Hamilton as a member of pioneer families of prominence in that section. He finished his public school work in Hamilton High School. He served four years in the U. S. Army.

After a honeymoon in Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. Hibits will reside in Kingsville, where he is employed.

Last Rites Held Here For John W. Latham, Turnersville Burial

Memorial ceremonies, conducted by Rev. Will Jackson and Rev. G. L. Derrick, were held for John Wesley Latham at the chapel of Scott's Funeral Home here last Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The funeral cortege passed from this city to Turnersville, where the body of M. Latham was buried with the Masons in charge of the commitment service, and the grandsons of Mr. Latham attending the casket as pallbearers. The tribute in flowers was lavish, and the floral pieces were beautiful.

Mr Latham, retired from farming because of his advanced age, had been a resident of Coryell county since 1882. He passed away at Caddo, Texas, February 1, 1947, at 9:30 o'clock in the morning at the age of 90 years, eight months and 27 days. John Wesley Latham was born in South Carolina.

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**Colvin-Edwards Wedding
Held in Bride's Home
At Early Candlelight**

The marriage of Miss Wilma Earl Colvin and Stanley Edwards was solemnized at early candlelight on Thursday, January 23 with the altar scene in the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Colvin, 2110 E Bridge Street. Dr. Lawrence Hayes, pastor of Gatesville First Baptist church was officiant, concluding the vows in the single ring p'edges.

Creating the setting for the assembly of the bridal party was an arrangement of greenery lending a background for the baskets of pink gladioli and the candelabra holding cathedral candles.

Miss Lela Beth Fowler gave the nuptial program of music, playing an old fashioned cottage organ. She gave the accompaniment for Miss Wanda Ruth Stephens, soloist, who sang "Because". Following the rendition of the processional, the organist drifted into the low strains of "I Love You Truly" played during the ceremony, and gave the recessional. Only the members of the immediate families of the bride and groom were witnesses to the assumption of vows.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a gown of white brocade satin with traces of silver lame, designed in colonial style with bustle effect. The long sleeves came to a point

over the hands. The bridal veil of illusion fell from a tiara of seed pearls. She carried a bouquet of white carnations with center of red rose buds. Her only jewelry was an antique brooch, a gift of her grandmother, the late Mrs. J. T. Brashear.

Miss Nella Mae Colvin, maid of honor, was her sister's only attendant. Her gown was of yellow taffeta. Her bouquet was an arrangement of blue cornflowers. The groom was attended by his brother, Sterling Edwards as best man.

The bride is a graduate of Gatesville High School, and holds a position of responsibility in the National Bank.

Mr. Edwards is a son of Mrs. Price Edwards, who resides at 401 West Bridge Street, Gatesville. He finished his public school education in this city, and after graduation joined the U.S. Navy, where he served for three years. He is an employee of the Gatesville Messenger.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwards left soon after the ceremony for a short wedding trip to Texas points of interest. The bride chose for travel a grey suit with navy accessories. Returning to Gatesville they are at home at 1901 East Main Street.

Mrs. Jim Edwards, grandmother of the bridegroom was here from Osage for the wedding, and other guests from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. John Britain of Valley Mills.



ARMY DOG

"Butch" the mascot of the Biggs Field photo lab, El Paso, Texas, is caught by an AAF official photographer in an austere moment. Butch particularly enjoys accompanying El Paso field photographers on aerial missions and has more than 200 hours to his credit. His owner, T/Sgt. R. D. Burt, says at Lawson Field, Ga., Butch held the rank of staff sergeant, complete with dog tags, class A pass, and personal file. (AP)Photo.



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Herbert Arnold (left) of Dallas, talks with Sen. Tom Connally (D-Tex.) at a hearing before a senate

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Mrs. J. C. Bunnell, Jr., was hostess for a miscellaneous shower on Tuesday evening, January 21, given at the home of Mrs. J. C. Bunnell, Sr., honoring Miss Wilma Earl Colvin, who was married on Thursday evening following to Stanley Edwards.

Arriving guests were presented with favors in the form of small red hearts inscribed with the names, Wilma and Stanley and the wedding date.

The honoree was presented with a large collection of beautiful and useful gifts. The company of friends chatted over tempting re-Coca-Cola and cookies.

Miss Nella Mae Colvin presided at the bride's book where some thirty guests registered.

INJURED IN CAR WRECK

Seaman First class Charles L. Scott, AMM, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Scott was seriously injured when run over by a car on January 19, in San Diego, California. His left elbow was crushed and he suffered bruises over his entire

on his arm January 22, removing body. Navy surgeons operated shivers of bone. He is reported to be doing nicely. Charles graduated from Gatesville High school in the class of 1945, and was a member of the school band. Many friends will regret to learn of his misfortune.

**CITY POLITICAL
ANNOUNCEMENTS**



The News is authorized to announce the following candidates for City Offices, subject to the City Election of April 1, 1947.

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HAD A BIRTHDAY FEB. 1

The Badgett quadruplets of Galveston (above), celebrated their eighth birthday on February 1. They are now in high second grade in school. Left to right: Joan, Jeraldine, Jeanette, and Joyce. Born weighing a total of 17 pounds, they now aggregate a combined 145, with Joan topping weights at 45 pounds and the others at 40. (AP) Photo.

eran Church in Coryell City. The pastor, Rev. A. E. Flatman read the ritual, concluding the ceremony in the single ring pledges.

For the occasion the sanctuary was decorated with white chrysanthemums in floor stands, and yellow chrysanthemums adorned the altar and piano. In the altar niches were seven-taper floor candelabra, and on the altar were the single bronze holders in which were set cathedral candles.

The bridal procession was led by Miss Evelyn Mulhause, youngest sister of the bride. Following closely were Miss Irene Mulhause and Miss Dorothy Gaskamp, who lighted the candles. Miss Earline Schultz gave the program of nuptial music, playing the accompaniments for the Misses Irene and Evelyn Mulhause, who sang "I Love You Truly" and "Always". To the martial strains of the wedding march the bridal party assembled at the altar for the ceremony. Miss Ernestine Mulhause was maid of honor, and bridesmaids were Miss Rosa Lippe of Dallas; Miss B. Schultz and Miss Norene Gaskamp of Mosheim. was the groom's best man; Armon Weiss of Valley Mills, Eric Bartels and Walter Gaskamp of Mosheim, were groomsmen.

For her wedding the bride was becomingly attired in a white

slipper satin gown with train. The sweetheart neckline was outlined with sequins and seed pearls. Her finger-tip veil fell from a coronet of seed pearls and orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of white carnations and roses with long satin streamers, knotted with tiny blossoms and sprigs of fern. The bride's attendants wore identical gowns in pastel shades with close fitting bodices and bouffant skirts. They carried nosegays of gladioli with long satin streamers.

At five o'clock in the afternoon a wedding dinner was served at the home of the bride's parents to some ninety guests. The popular young couple received many beautiful and useful gifts. The groom's gift to the bride was an exquisite dinner service for twelve which was sent from Japan.

Mr. Gaskamp is a recently returned soldier, having served in the Pacific theatre until his discharge. Mr. and Mrs. Gaskamp will make their home in the Mosheim community where they will engage in farming.

Red Cross Drive For Funds is Planned

Tuesday night, the planning committee of the local chapter of the American Red Cross met in the local Red Cross offices, and plans were made for the drive for funds which opens March 1.

The planning committee is composed of B. E. Chambers, Chapter Chairman, Cam McGilvray and Ray Byrom, fund campaign managers, and Howard Franks, Bert Davis, Bert Pollard and Sam Powell.

A CORRECTION—

The News regrets an error occurring in the name of the late Eunie Mussett Thompson, as

printed in a death story, Tuesday, January 28, 1947.

Local Legislators Favor Revenues to Help Teachers

Representatives Sidney Gregory, Jr. and Senator Buster Brown are on the teacher's side when it comes to more revenue for teachers, according to Superintendent George Wier.

Legislation is in the progress of introduction and being passed in Austin, and if your'e "fir" it, or "agin" it, they'd like to hear from you about it.

GSSB Boys Enter Golden Gloves Meet In Waco

Gatesville State School for Boys entries in the Waco District Golden Gloves are: Glen Prater, Hardy Cole, Don Nixon, Ralph Sanders, Raymond Galaiviz, Edmund Ruiz, Tony Rodriguez, Louis Arriola, Holly Clawson, James Burleson, Soco Socorro, Henry Granatos.

John T. Post Named General Agent For Cotton Belt Ry.

John T. Post, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Post of Tyler has been named general agent at Tyler, succeeding the late N. C. Pinkston.

Mr. Post had been commercial agent for five years at Tyler and served in the engineering and operations department there, and has served in Tyler and Fort Worth. He also served 3 years in the army during World War II. He was a former resident of Gatesville.

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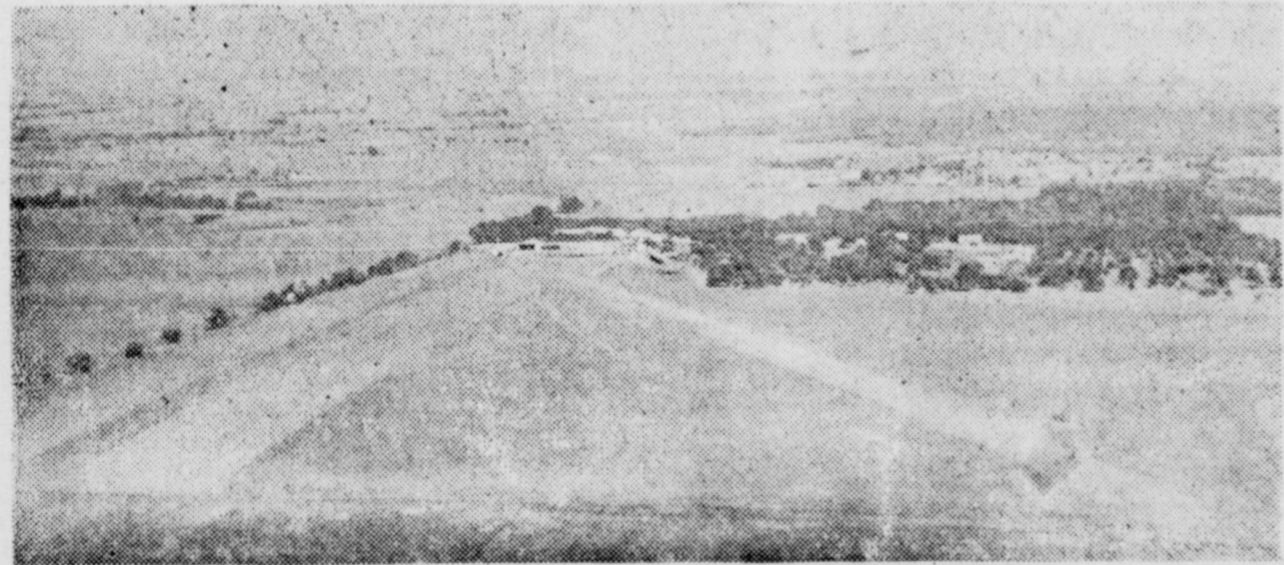
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CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES
January 31, 1947

Dear Friends:
On Wednesday the Bill continuing all the wartime excise taxes was brought up under a "closed" rule. This means that Members could not offer amendments from the Floor. We had to vote "for" or "against" the entire proposal. Personally, I felt that it was unwise to make all these wartime levies permanent. I particularly felt that, now that the war is over, we should reduce the tax on picture shows, telephone bills, railroad and bus tickets, etc. Especially do I feel that it is unfair to tax electric light bulbs. On the other hand, I think that it is certainly reasonable to continue the

tax on all true luxuries like fur coats, whiskey, night clubs, etc. If we were to wipe out all of these true luxury taxes, we would so reduce our revenues that there could be no hope of giving any relief in the way of income tax exemptions. Under the rule there was no chance to separate the good from the bad. The Republican Leadership promised that later in the session they would give us a chance to consider the individual items I, therefore, voted for the bill which passed by an overwhelming majority.
The President has again promised to visit Central Texas. I invited him more than a year ago. He accepted at that time but due to some question about the degree

which Baylor University intends to confer on him, his trip has been delayed. He now intends to stop in Waco as he returns from Mexico—March 6th. This will be Mr. Truman's first visit to our State since he became President, and I am very pleased that he has picked our District for his visit.

Our Food Committee has just filed its formal report on the question of sugar supplies. It will probably be released tomorrow. We did not attempt to suggest how sugar should be distributed as that comes under the jurisdiction of another committee and all Congressional Committees are very jealous. We did, however, feel justified in calling on the American Government to see to it that the American people get enough of the Cuban crop to assure each person 35 to 40 pounds of sugar and to raise all industrial consumers from 60 percent to 80 percent of their pre-war base. We believe that in view of the improved sugar situation that this can be done without injustice to anyone.

In the course of this investigation we heard criticism of the fact that the United States has agreed to give other countries a chance to buy part of the Cuban crop at the same price we are paying. It was suggested that our Govern-

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ment was more interested in the people of Europe than the people of America. I think these charges are very unfair. This arrangement has enabled us to hold the price of Cuban sugar very low. Had we refused to share this crop as some people wanted us to do, the other countries would have gone to Cuba and bid for sugar directly. Even though they might not have bought a large share of the crop, they would undoubtedly have forced the price up to four or five times what it is. Our agreement to share this sugar was good business as well as the humane thing to do. Likewise, if we were today to remove all controls of sugar, there is a strong probability that a few large industrial users would get the bulk of the supplies and the average housewife and small user would get even less than they get now.

I have also been sitting on a committee which has been studying the fertilizer shortage. We have not finished our hearings, but it seems clear that here it is not a case of short supplies but of tremendously increased demand. Apparently we are now making between two and three times as much fertilizer as before the war, but our farmers have been learning of the value of fertilizer so rapidly that the demand has increased even faster than the production. We are, however, promised that by the middle of the summer enough new plants will be in production that we can expect them to begin to catch up with the demand.

Yesterday the Democratic Members of the House presented former Speaker Rayburn with a beautiful new car. Tonight the Texas State Society holds a dinner in his honor. We are all learning that it meant much to Texas to have a Texan in the Speaker's Chair, and we want to let Mr. Rayburn and the Nation know that we appreciate his work.

With best wishes, I am
Yours sincerely,
"W. R. POAGE"
W. R. Poage, Congressman, 11th Texas District.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks and appreciation to the neighbors and friends for their many kind deeds during the illness and after the death of our loved one, Bob Woodcock. We are grateful for the beautiful flowers, and for the prepared food. That God may bless each of you is our prayer.
Mrs. B. Q. Woodcock
and children.

Guests in the Henry Wiegand home in Hilltop for the week end were their daughter and son, Mrs. Jesse B. Johnson and baby son, Gordon, of Galveston, and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Wiegand of Dallas.

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